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Amendments to the Drawings:

A Replacement Sheet for Page 3/3 of the Drawings including FIGS. 7-11 is submitted herewith showing the addition of Reference Numeral 68 to FIGS. 7 and 8. The changes made to FIGS. 7 and 8 comply with those required by the Examiner in his "Marked-up Drawing" of Page 3/3 included in the Notice of Allowability.

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REMARKS

In order to avoid the objections raised by the Examiner in the Notice of Allowability dated January 24, 2007, Applicant submits herewith a Replacement Sheet for Page 3/3 of the Drawings including FIGS. 7-11 showing the addition of Reference Numeral 68 to FIGS. 7 and 8. The changes made to FIGS. 7 and 8 comply with those required by the Examiner in the "Marked-up Drawing" of Page 3/3 provided along with the Notice of Allowability.

Applicant respectfully contends the present amendments confirm the status of this case being in proper order for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner's early approval of the changes made to Page 3/3 of the Drawings is respectfully requested so that this case might, upon payment of the required fees, proceed to issue in due course without delay.

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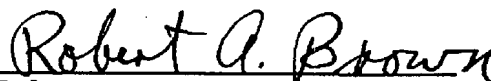
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Applicant's Attorney may be reached at 847/272-3182, or
847/272-3176, or FAX 847/272-5424, if the need arises for any
further discussion in connection with the matters at hand.

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